I grew up in Silicon Valley and settled in Mountain View with my husband eighteen years ago, where we've been able to purchase our first home, raise two daughters, care for my aging parents and be civically engaged. Through the years, I've served the city I love in various ways including as a school volunteer, County School Board Trustee, boardmember of nonprofits, your City Councilmember and Mayor.

On the City Council, I established a strong budget, a new General Plan, and innovative approaches to address housing, transportation and environmental sustainability. I ensured safe and strong neighborhoods, top-notch city services and added new parks and open space. As Mayor, I led this city out of the deep recession of 2008, and worked collaboratively to make Mountain View a prosperous and highly desirable place to live, work, learn, and play.

As our economy improves, we must continue to enhance our infrastructure, services and policies to alleviate traffic congestion, provide an adequate water supply, tackle housing challenges, and preserve the socioeconomic diversity we cherish. With great commitment and conviction, I seek to once again serve our city and would be honored to have your trust and vote in November. Please visit www.mak4council.com.

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My name is Ken "Kacey" Carpenter. I'm a parent, community volunteer, technology leader, Bernie Sanders delegate, and candidate for Mountain View City Council.

I believe Mountain View is a unique community – heart of Silicon Valley but we must engage all of the community to ensure our future. Growth is good but stresses our community (traffic, affordable housing, community safety, transportation) and we need a systematic approach working together towards a sustainable future.

My credentials include my role as a resident, father, volunteer for youth sports and scouts, and passionate advocate for our community. My expertise leading technology initiatives and sharing best practices with government organizations around the world provides a unique perspective to contribute. My experience volunteering to get out the vote and as a delegate at the Democratic Convention inspired me to run in this election.

I am passionately committed to represent you and all our families to help ensure a future for all of us... our children, teachers, nurses, retirees, tech innovators and small business employees... all of us.

Together, we can sustain the quality of life for the people living and working in Mountain View, and we can become the model for the rest of the country.

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As your Councilmember and Mayor, I have led Mountain View through significant challenges over the last four years, ranging from a deep recession to unprecedented growth. The Council and community met those challenges head on, and our city is now stronger than ever.

We invested heavily in affordable housing and opened the new Teen Center while I was Mayor. We required developers to mitigate traffic and fund transit infrastructure, parks, and affordable housing. I championed environmental sustainability, led regional efforts to raise the minimum wage and electrify Caltrain, and voted to enhance renter protections.

Despite our success, tough challenges remain. We must still: 1) balance the growth needed to sustain our city with the local character we value, 2) invest in affordable housing to ensure Mountain View's diversity remains its greatest strength, 3) strengthen multi-modal transit infrastructure, 4) expand youth and senior services, and 5) remain fiscally prudent.

I am a proven consensus builder with the skills and experience needed to tackle these challenges. Thank you for placing your trust in me four years ago, and I respectfully request your vote for another term. Together, we will move our community forward and perfect it for the next generation. www.ElectChrisClark.com

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Cornell University: BA Computer Science, BS Physics; Wharton MBA

Mountain View is at an amazing point in its history. But our success is unevenly distributed and has brought challenges. Traffic is brutal; transit doesn't work well enough; rents are at all-time highs. Many ask if our city does what it should to address these situations. I think we can and should do more.

I have served my neighbors since moving here. I founded the Slater Neighborhood Association because I value vibrant neighborhood communities. As a CERT volunteer, I'm trained to assist in a natural disaster. I strive to live sustainably. In 2013, my wife and I founded Repair Cafe Mountain View to help neighbors fix things for each other, rather than throw broken things away. As chair of the City's Human Relations Commission, I hosted a "Civility Roundtable", where residents with opposing viewpoints sought common ground through respectful dialogue. I care deeply about education, have three public school children, and serve on our local school board.

On the City Council, I would aim to reconcile the sometimes competing community interests, and advocate for the long term common good, always in a fiscally prudent manner.

I'd be honored to serve on City Council. ElectGreg.org

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I've lived in Mountain View for 17 years. My community service began when my two children started public school. Mountain View is a welcoming diverse community with complex challenges including managing growth, traffic, and improving quality of life for all people. There are no easy fixes but I will work for you to solve difficult problems.

As your Parks and Recreation Commissioner for almost eight years, I have been instrumental in creating parks, gardens, and trails, and helping residents to live healthier and more sustainably. I co-founded Great Streets Mountain View that advocates for safe accessible streets with short-term fixes as well as long-term goals. I served on Mountain View-Whisman School District committees and made key recommendations on construction plans and budgets. I earned an MBA from UC Berkeley while working full-time in high-tech middle management.

As your City Council member, I will continue to work for sustainability, open space, safe streets, and fiscal responsibility. I will also work to preserve our diversity of residents and businesses. I will increase housing options for all including families, seniors and disabled people. I will work together with school districts, businesses, and neighboring cities. I will listen to you and every stakeholder to bring people together. Visit www.thidacornes.com

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Quality of life is the most pressing issue facing Mountain View today. The lack of affordable housing and traffic congestion threaten the great qualities of our city

Housing solutions are needed to provide for a diverse housing stock that is affordable for all income levels of both present and future generations. As a business owner, I know how hard it is for employees to live here. We need developers to mitigate the negative effects of their projects and ensure that growth is appropriate.

Traffic is continually clogging our streets, with commuters cutting through our local neighborhoods. We must guide our transit authorities toward effective and practical transit solutions. We must require major employers to work together and provide an efficient and comprehensive transit system that will reduce traffic congestion and greenhouse gas.

As a biker, dog walker and father of two, we must make street safety a top priority. We must develop a comprehensive system of bike routes and ensure every school has designated safe routes

Building smart and planning for the future, in the critical areas of housing, traffic and sustainability of our environment will make for an even better Mountain View.

I would appreciate your vote. Johnmcalister.org

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Mountain View has been my home for 17 years. We've been going through a building boom, and while there are benefits to this growth, there are also challenges. There are no simple solutions, but as a Councilmember my top priorities will be to address the housing crisis, vehicle congestion, and environmental sustainability.

We can build additional housing in the Whisman and North Bayshore areas where there is significant capacity. We can expand our transportation options to reduce congestion on our roads. And, we can work with our large employers to make their transportation management programs more aggressive. We can provide safe routes for bicyclists and build walkable neighborhoods. We can raise environmental sustainability across the board.

I have been actively involved in the city as the founding president of a large neighborhood association, and am in my 7th year on the city's Environmental Planning Commission. My career is in technology with a focus on cybersecurity. I hold an MBA from UCLA.

Working together, I will help residents have their voices heard when it comes to what matters most to them. We can make our quality of life better and Mountain View can remain a welcoming, diverse community. I respectfully ask for your vote. www.LisaForCouncil.com

Jisa Matichat 08/10/16 As a Mountain View native, I have been fortunate to enjoy everything that makes our city an extraordinary place to live: its history, diversity, and innovation. We are blessed with a vibrant downtown, wonderful parks, safe neighborhoods, and a thriving economy.

However, Mountain View faces several challenges that erode the opportunity for both longtime residents and those new to our community to experience the city the way I have. The crisis in housing affordability, displacement, and severe traffic congestion threaten our city's long-term health.

For our community to remain strong, seniors with fixed incomes must have the opportunity to age in place. Young professionals must have the opportunity to raise their families here. Residents and commuters alike cannot afford to waste time stuck in gridlock. Schools, City Hall, and businesses must be able to attract and retain talented employees.

As the Human Relations Commission chair, a VTA Citizens Watchdog Committee member, and a longtime City Council observer on behalf of the League of Women Voters, I have a deep understanding of local government and the issues facing our city. I will bring together the community, businesses, and government to forge solutions. I humbly ask for your vote. www.ramirezforcouncil.com

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